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IN RE APPLICATION OF
STEVEN NADLER, ET AL
APPLICATION NO: 10/755,889
FILED: 01/13/2004
FOR: POLYNUCLEOTIDES AND POLYPEPTIDES ASSOCIATED WITH THE
NF-KB PATHWAY

ART UNIT: 1653
EXAMINER: MONSHIPOURI, MARYAM

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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Sir:

The Office Action of May 3, 2006 has a shortened statutory time set to expire on August 3, 2006. As September 3, 2006 fell on a Sunday, and September 4, 2006 fell on a holiday, a one-month extension is hereby requested pursuant to 37 CFR §1.136(a).

Please charge Deposit Account No. 19-3880 in the name of Bristol-Myers Squibb Company in the amount of \$120 for payment of the extension fee. An additional copy of this paper is here enclosed. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees under 37 CFR §1.17 which may be required, or credit any overpayment, to Account No. 19-3880 in the name of Bristol-Myers Squibb Company.

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